

## **NOTICE OF PROPOSED ACTION**

The Administrator, Division of Environmental Protection, Carson City, Nevada is issuing the following notice of proposed action under the Nevada Revised Statutes and the Clean Water Act. The Administrator has received a complete application for a water pollution control discharge permit, NEV2004511, from the following applicant:

Desert Disposal  
Keith and Janet Kubichek  
4062 West Winnemucca Boulevard  
Winnemucca, Nevada 89445

The Applicant proposes to land apply domestic septage and grease trap material pumped by the Applicant to range land that is being converted to agricultural use. The 40-acre land application site is located in the northwest corner of the 120-acre Keith and Janet Kubichek-owned parcel near the intersection of Jungo Road and Cyanco Drive west of Winnemucca, Nevada in Humboldt County. Domestic septage and grease trap material must be incorporated into the soil within six hours of land application. The Applicant will be authorized to store a maximum of 16,000 gallons of domestic septage and grease trap material on-site in two 8,000-gallon steel storage tanks. The Applicant will be required to plant a crop to utilize the nitrogen within one year of land application.

On the basis of preliminary review of the requirements of the Nevada Revised Statutes, as amended, and implementing regulations, the Administrator proposes to issue a permit, NEV2004511, to discharge for a five (5) year period, subject to certain effluent limitations and special conditions. Persons wishing to comment upon or object to the proposed determinations by the Administrator regarding permit issuance or request a hearing pursuant to the Nevada Administrative Code, Water Pollution Control, should submit their comments or request, in writing, within 30 days of newspaper publication, either in person or by mail to:

Department of Conservation and Natural Resources  
Division of Environmental Protection  
Bureau of Water Pollution Control  
333 West Nye Lane  
Carson City, Nevada 89706-0851

Comments or objections must be received within the thirty (30) day comment period, which begins on the date of this publication. Comments and/or hearing requests postmarked or received via facsimile or e-mail before 5:00 P.M. July 22, 2004 will be considered in the formulation of final determination(s) regarding the application. If written comments indicate a significant degree of public interest in the proposed permit, the Administrator shall hold a public hearing. A public notice of such hearing will be issued not less than thirty (30) days prior to the hearing date.

If no hearing is held and the determinations of the Administrator are substantially changed from the tentative determinations, the Administrator will give public notice of the revised determinations. Additional comments and objections will be considered at that time.

The application, proposed permit, comments received, and other information are on file and may be copied or copies may be obtained by writing to the above address or by contacting Bruce Holmgren, Bureau of Water Pollution Control at (775) 687-9423 or at [bholmgre@ndep.nv.gov](mailto:bholmgre@ndep.nv.gov). The office facsimile number is (775) 687-4684. For further information, the fact sheet for this proposed project can be viewed at the following website address: <http://ndep.nv.gov/admin/public.htm>.